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KENTUCKY GREETING

Given to President Roosevelt in Louisville last Tuesday, and His Response.

Last Tuesday morning our President visited Louisville for two hours and was greeted by perhaps 100,000 people from all parts of the State. The program of the arrangements committee was carried out to the letter. Governor Beckham introduced the President in a few brief remarks and the President responded in his good humor way.

The following are stenographic reports of the speeches of Gov. Beckham and President Roosevelt on the reviewing stand in front of the Courthouse:

Gov. Beckham said:

"Ladies and Gentlemen: Not only the people of Louisville, but the people of all Kentucky rejoice today in welcoming among us the President of this great republic. Regardless of all political differences we are here to do honor, not only to the Chief Magistrate of this country, but also to Theodore Roosevelt, the man." (Great applause.)

The President here turned to Mr. Murray and said: "It is useless to attempt to be heard by more than a few. You, simply can't."

"We recognize his eminent patriotism, his integrity, his fearlessness, and we all believe him to be a friend of the great common people throughout this country. We also look forward to him during the next four years as the ruler of this republic, to obliterate the last faint line of sectional differences that may exist in this country. (Applause.) I believe that it is in the power of this great man, who more than any President since Lincoln, holds the affections and the confidence of the people of this country—I say, I believe it is more in his power than in the power of any other man to establish beyond question the fact that there is no North, no South, no East and no West in this country. (Applause.)

"I shall not withhold longer the chief attraction of this occasion, and I present to you the President of the United States, the Hon. Theodore Roosevelt." (Loud and prolonged applause.)

President Roosevelt responded: "Governor Beckham, and you, my fellow Americans. (Applause.) Surely any man would be gratified to be greeted in this way by such an audience, and be introduced as you have introduced me, Governor Beckham. (Applause.)

"As the Governor has so well said, upon all the important questions, the questions that infinitely transcend mere partisan differences, we are fundamentally one. (Applause.)

"For in the question of foreign and internal politics, the points upon which there can be no proper division on party lines infinitely exceed in number those upon which there can be such division, and Governor Beckham, I shall do all that in me lies to justify the hope to which you have given expression and to try to show myself the President of all the people of the United States." (Prolonged applause.)

"And, naturally, I feel peculiarly gratified at seeing, here, today, joined in this procession, the men who wore the Gray. (Great applause.)

"In the dark days—now, keep

just as quiet as you can; you won't be able to do anything more than see me, anyhow. (Laughter and applause.) In the dark days each of you fought for the right as it was given him to see the right (a voice, 'That's right'), and each of you has left us the right to feel pride not only in your valor, but in your devotion to what you conscientiously believe your duty. (Great applause.)

"And now we are all one (cheers and long continued applause), and as a reunited people we have the right to feel the same pride in the valor of the man who conscientiously risked his life in the Confederate uniform, that we have in the man who fought in the Blue. (Applause.) And as I passed by your ranks, oh, my friends in Gray, today, and saluted the flag of our common country, held up by a man in the gray uniform, I felt that indeed we are one, and that we have been able to show mankind that the greatest war of the century can be followed by the most perfect union that any nation now knows. (Great applause.)

"And in coming to this great and beautiful city of yours, I wish to congratulate you upon the historic—keep quiet, please. There are ladies here. Be just as quiet as possible. And there are small folks present, and if each one will keep in his place the crowd won't sway. Keep quiet over here—don't move up and down.

"I am glad, as I say, of the spirit that makes you wish to dedicate statues like this of Jefferson, like the great statue of Clay on the other side of the Courthouse. It is a fine thing to keep to a sense of historic continuity with the past, and there is one statue that I wish the member in the National Congress from Kentucky to see is put up by the national government, and that is a national statue to Andrew Jackson and the victors of the battle of New Orleans. The fight at New Orleans was one in which the whole nation has a care, as far as the glory and the profit went, and the whole nation, and not any one State should join in putting that statue up.

"Now, I am going to say good-bye, because there is a little movement there, and it will be better for the women and the small people if I let you get away. Good-bye." (Cheers and long continued applause.)

As the President turned from facing the front of the stand, the Liederkrantz Society swelled out with the "Old Kentucky Home," and the President halted at the rear end of the platform, removed his hat and smilingly listened to the singing. A little baby in white, held up on its mother's shoulders, catching the spirit of the occasion, waved its little hands at the President, and with a very broad grin the President returned the salute.

After the singing was completed the President said:

"Gentlemen: I want to thank you for coming here to sing today, and I want to say just one thing suggested by your presence: We as a people are composed of men of many different stocks from the Old World. Each stock can contribute something of great value to our na-

tional life. The people of German origin who have come here have contributed much in many different ways, and, at the least of what they have contributed has been the power to know what joy of living means. (Applause.) There is one word I wish it were possible to translate, but as it is not possible, I wish we could adopt it absolutely as it is—Gemeinlichkeit, for Gemeinlichkeit is a mighty valuable asset. I only hope as missionaries you will be able to teach us what it means and how to practice it all through. Good-bye."

ENCOURAGING

Situation Grows Brighter
For Future of
Barbourville.

New Enterprises Starting
up and More in
Prospect.

At last after one year of hard knocking and constant urging upon our part we are glad to announce that we have been enabled to succeed in awakening at least some interest in our town and the spirit of enterprise is beginning to assert itself in a manner that is very encouraging to us.

Already plans are now on foot to establish a Steam Brick and Tile factory here, and the machinery has already been ordered for the plant. This plant when in operation will have—it is claimed—a capacity of 50,000 brick daily, which means employment for a large number of hands.

There is also a prospect of an Ax-handle factory as we are reliably informed that the plans to establish a factory of that kind are already on foot.

The furniture factory that has been mentioned is still in prospect with every assurance that it will be established, the party proposing to locate here and put in the factory, is now here with his family, and has bought out the Electric Light plant. He proposes to greatly improve the service and will no doubt establish his furniture factory in connection with the light plant.

It has been suggested that an Ice factory and Steam laundry be established here this spring which would no doubt prove paying investments.

When we get all of these improvements and the hum of machinery is heard on all sides and the shrill whistle of the various factories is heard to echo back from the mountain sides, Barbourville will be the Jem of the Mountains.

Now lets all encourage these enterprises and show our appreciation of them in every way possible. It will be money to Barbourville and money to Knox County and money to those who are today walking the streets idle for lack of something to do except a little singing.

While we are on this subject we wish to say that another industry that would prove profitable both to the farmers, around town and to the town itself would be a canning factory.

Let a factory of that kind be established here and make arrangements with the farmers surrounding our town to furnish the plant with their products, such as corn, tomatoes, pumpkins, beans, peas, &c. This would prove the greatest industry of anything and the factory could be kept in operation for more than six months out every year and would mean many thousands of dollars annually to our citizens. Who will give it a start?

FARMERS CLUB.

Dr. W. C. Black, Our Representative, Offers Suggestions that Should be Headed by Our Farmers.

LET'S ORGANIZE WITHOUT DELAY.

EDITOR ADVOCATE:

By request, and as a matter of personal interest too, we want to bring through the public messenger, the Advocate—the question of organizing a FARMERS CLUB for Knox County to the attention of the farmers and those interested along agricultural lines and the greater development of our county in a general way.

In accordance with a provision of the Ky. Statutes thirteen thousand dollars are appropriated annually out of the funds in the hands of the Treasurer not otherwise appropriated, for the maintenance and support of the office of Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Statistics.

Section 83 of the Statutes governing this Department says in part: "The Commissioner shall promote and encourage, as far as practicable, the organization of agricultural and horticultural societies and other associations in the several counties," and it is the desire of the present incumbent, the Hon. Hubert Vreeland, that this entire amount of thirteen thousand dollars be systematically and equitably expended throughout the entire State in the interest of the farmer in particular and the public in general.

With this object in view that the farmers of Kentucky may derive direct benefit from their taxes alike as other departments of our Commonwealth are empowered by law to dip into the people's tithes for various legitimate purposes for the common welfare and promotion of Kentucky's resources, advancement, enlightenment, and influence, so the Commissioner of Agriculture etc.—taking advantage of the law by application—exceedingly anxious, as expressed to the writer last winter at Frankfort, to organize a Farmers Club for Knox County and for the other counties in this section of our State where the Department has been unable thus far—through the negligence of the people, it seems—to prove to the farmer, but to the community at large. We argue that should a strong committee from a Farmers Club, by a vote of that body, appear before the Honorable Fiscal Court of our county urging the consideration of any question that effects the entire county it would lend more weight and influence toward reaching an equitable solution of the question at issue than any individual efforts however ably presented! "In union there is strength," and may we not add, a brighter hope toward reaching the cord of thought and action.

Money properly expended on road improvement bears interest payable in comfort, convenience, opportunity and the saving of time and untold worry.

Trusting that the citizens of Knox County will take advantage of this offer to assist them to better the farming and other interests of our county as has been done in other sections of the State, the Editor of the Advocate or myself will take the names of any citizens of Knox County who are desirous of joining the Club, under the above terms, on Monday April 10th, the first day of Circuit Court. If we are successful in getting the required number of members—and by the way neither of

us is a farmer, but we are materially interested in the progress of our country—the list will be forwarded to the Hon. Hubert Vreeland, Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Statistics who will come either in person or send an able representative here to organize a Farmers Club for Knox County on Monday April 24th, at the Court House at Barbourville, Ky. if twenty or more names for membership is secured and the proper enthusiasm is manifested.

Very truly,
WILLIAM CARSON BLACK.

A TRIP

To the Coal Mines on a Locomotive.

Last Saturday afternoon in company with Mr. Charles Davis, we went aboard the 4 o'clock South bound train and upon arriving at Artemus three miles South, we left the L & N Ry. and boarded the tender of the "Dinkey" leading over to Coalport.

The afternoon was delightful and the soft balmy air of the mountains was bracing and made the trip enchanting to one who is not accustomed to such experience.

There were perhaps thirty-five or forty passengers aboard, occupying every available inch of space from the running board on the engin to the tender. The crowd was made up of men, women and children, most of whom were residents of Coalport who had come out to Artemus for the ride.

The soldier learns the art of military ingenuity and discipline in time of peace so that he will be able to defend himself and country in time of war; so ought the farmer learn the most advanced ideas of agricultural industry and application that he too may keep abreast of other business and professional lines for his own salvation and the country's profit.

GOOD ROADS.

The Farmers Club is urged to constantly agitate the question of Good Roads and other needed improvements and necessities of the county. Such discussions and agitations of momentous importance and consideration to the agricultural and commercial growth our county from a body like this, would tend greatly to assist, in my opinion, in bringing about more tangible results for the common good, not only to the farmer, but to the community at large. We argue that

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We went to the commissary of the East Jellico Coal Company where we found shoppers by the score buying the necessities of life and laying in their store for the following Sunday.

From there we went to the home of Squire W. H. Nolin where we took supper after which we again boarded the "Dinkey," and returned to Artemus where we had the pleasure of attending the meeting of Kenton Tribe No. 108 L. O. R. M. and participated in the installation of the New Officers Squire W. H. Nolin our Host being installed as Sachem of the tribe after which we returned to our homes, pleased with our trip and with the new acquaintances we had met during the evening.

CLEAN UP.

It is now time to clean up the rubbish and begin a vigorous use of the white wash brush, nothing is more unrighteous than to see a lot of old tin cans, worn out shoes, and rubbish of various kinds accumulated about the premises, these things should all be cleared away and the premises sweetened with a fresh coat of lime.

Don't wait for the health officers to call on you to do what you know should be done, but proceed now to make the necessary renovation of the premises before the hot weather sets in and thus avoid the spread of diseases that are bred of such filth.

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For November Election, 1905.

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| " Attorney | W. R. Lay. |
| " Clerk | C. C. Smith. |
| " Sheriff | Dan H. Williams. |
| " Jailer | G. N. Buchanan. |
| " Supt of Schools | Ben E. Parker. |
| " Assessor | G. H. Hammont. |
| " Surveyor | W. F. Westerfield. |
| " Coroners | Hiram Yearly. |

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| For Magistrate | AUG. M. Smith. |
| " Constable | T. M. Headburn. |

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| SECOND DISTRICT. | |
| For Magistrate | W. H. Burch. |
| " Constable | C. B. Pickett. |

Bro. John Pearl of the London Local (Dem.) in referring to the new State proposition and its origin says:

"Several of our exchanges are taking very seriously the proposition of Congressman Slem, of Virginia, to introduce a bill into Congress to make a new State out of the mountainous parts of Kentucky, Virginia and Tennessee. Several of our mountain friends heartily indorse the idea mainly because the new State would be Republican and would elect two Republican Senators, several Congressmen and all the State officers. Congressman Slem claims that he first mentioned it as a joke, but that the matter had been taken up seriously by the people since. The fact is that D. W. Clark, of the Mountain Advocate, Barbourville, first suggested it, and this paper shamed him out of it. The laws of Kentucky are good enough for us, and if the people of Central Kentucky are willing to put up their cash to help us run our affairs, the people of the mountains shouldn't have any kick for anything except 'more offices.' We have no ill feeling against the people of other parts of Kentucky outside of the Eleventh Congressional District, and we do not propose to draw on our imagination for what they think about us, but we do know that the laws of the State are alright. The laws that we have apply all alike. There can be no special legislation under our State constitution. This, of course, is not the doctrine of the Republican party, which, if it believes in anything, believes in class legislation. Considering this, we are not surprised that Congressmen Slem, Brownlow and Edwards are quoted as favoring the new State."

We want to thank Bro. Pearl for giving us the credit of originating the new state idea, but we must say that so far as his shaming us out of it is concerned he is sadly mistaken. Through the influences of an organization of this kind our county would be enabled to secure many improvements which we so badly need, one of which the Dr. sets out, viz. Good Roads. There is no better way than through the influences of a Farmers Club to bring about these desired results.

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| Joins in with Sister Towns and Says the Accursed Rum Shall not be Sold by License Within Her Limits. | |
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| N. Y. Burbanks seed potatoes per bushel..... | .75 |
| Beauty of Hebron seed potatoes per bushels..... | .75 |
| Seed Sweet Potatoes per peck 30 to..... | .50 |
| Iron beam double shovel plows \$2.00 | |
| Wood beam double shovel plows..... | \$2.10 |
| Calf tongue plow points 10 to 12% Mountain shovel plows..... | .20 |
| Mountain bull tongue plows..... | .25 |
| Goose neck hoes 1/4 in. shank..... | .25 |
| Goose neck hoes 5/8 in. shank..... | .30 |
| Dirt shovels..... | .45 |
| Spikes (all steel)..... | .50 |
| Manure forks..... | .55 |
| Spading forks..... | .75 |
| Post hole diggers with wood handles..... | .85 |
| Post hole diggers with iron handles..... | .75 |
| Wire Stretchers..... | .85 |
| Galvanized Barb Wire..... | \$2.90 |
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| Wire nails per lb. .03 cents per kg..... | \$2.65 |
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I have recently added a line of DOORS and WINDOWS, to my stock. Don't fail to Investigate my Prices before Buying.

Don't forget that I have a large stock of WINDOW GLASS at the right prices. I cut GLASS at my own risk of breakage and sell at the right price.

PAINT YOUR HOUSE with the OLD HAMMAR PAINT, and get a FIVE YEAR GUARANTEE. If you are not acquainted with Hammar Paint, come and let me tell you about it.

ROBERT W. COLE.

ICE!

Costellow can furnish ice at any time from now to the close of the year---His customers and the public can rely upon him.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. J. R. Jones continues on the sick list.

The new Spring hats are very much in evidence now.

Kelsey Cox visited in Flat Lick Saturday night and Sunday.

Elias Burnett was appointed postmaster at Knox Fork last week.

J. G. Mealer of Williamsburg was in this city last Monday on business.

Mrs. J. B. Stivers has been quite ill for the past two weeks but is now improving.

Judge S. B. Dishman went to the Ely mines Saturday afternoon on business.

Mrs. Florence Cornett is here on a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Miller.

Chas. Davis and D. W. Clark made a flying visit to Coalport last Saturday evening.

Misses Ella Smith and Blanche Tugle are visiting Mrs. Lee Pennington of Corbin.

Alex Steele, of Corbin, was in our town on business last Saturday and returned Sunday.

Geo. R. Smith has removed from the Dishman flats to the northern part of town.

Judge Flem D. Sampson left last Sunday night for Louisville on business, returning Wednesday.

A large delegation from this city attended the W. C. T. U. meeting in Corbin last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Spahr, of Corbin, visited their father, Mr. J. T. Gibson of this city, last Tuesday.

Mrs. Anna Cooper and Miss Carrie Eve, of Corbin, are here visiting her sister Mrs. John M. Riddell.

Mrs. Ben Mathews is visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. J. Messer, and Mrs. Ed Hurst at Middlesboro this week.

(Continued on page four.)

Crude Thoughts as they Fall from the Editorial Pen. Pleasant Evening Reveries.

THE HOME CIRCLE COLUMN.

A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as they join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

IF you cannot love your mother and make her happy, you cannot truly love and make happy the heart of any woman.

THERE is nothing in life's experience that so quickly and effectually awakens in the heart those better elements that ally us "to angels and to God" as the sacred memories of home.

DEAR to us all are the friendships we formed during the period of our school life, and hard was the breaking of those ties, yet we cherish no such memories of our schoolmates as we do of home and mother.

MOTHER! your life is not insignificant, for it is not easily isolated from the universal significance, for your boy shall bear it into the great tide that never ebbs. The story of the fireside is written upon the alters of great cathedrals, in the separate chambers, and in the busy mart.

It is inscribed in invisible characters upon the sides of steamboat and railway trains and on the marble fronts of the brilliant temples of trade. The great outward world of commercial storm and sunshine of laughter and weeping, of honor and dishonor, draws its life from the home. It is linked to the hearthstone by a thousand ties that run far under the surface of society.

LABOR is divine. The son of God was an industrious carpenter. Every man needs to have something to do. It not only makes him safe for this life; it is a divinely appointed means for making him safe for the life to come. Character is preferred, the divine possibility discovered only by labor. Labor saves the man and saves the world. In Holman Hunt's noble picture we see Jesus, the carpenter, sawing a board at the bench; the sun as it streams in from behind is caught by His figure at its toil and there is cast on the workroom floor the shadow of Himself, of His cross. As we do our day's work we are bearing the world's burdens, are helping to save the world unto the Divine carpenter.

THE HOME GIRL
Is the home girl becoming extinct? Are we no more to have the old-fashioned girls who knew how to cook and sew and make beds and sweep and wash the dishes, if necessary?

Are the girls of the future to know none of those useful occupations that made their mothers and grandmothers such good housekeepers and wives?

It seems thus as a rule in this day girls do not learn to do the work of the house. Instead they learn to weave baskets and do pyrography and to paint bold on china or in water colors, and to dance and play rag-time on the piano. Some of them learn to gad about the streets and to drink more ice cream sodas and eat more candy than is good for them.

Now if one has a genius for basket weaving and can turn it to some good it is all right to weave baskets.

Or if one can do easily artistic pyrography, then all right too. But time in doing these things when your mother is washing the dishes or cooking the dinner or making your bed, is time wasted.

There is no doubt that many unhappy marriages and many divorces

result from the inability of young wives to properly perform the ordinary duties of a household. There is no more pitiable object than the wife who cannot perform the duties of a housekeeper through ignorance. What a humiliating position a young wife is in who is forced to confess to her husband, that she cannot cook his food and mend his clothes. She may never have to do these things, but she sometimes takes wings, and if they do, the wife should be prepared to take up her share of the burden of poverty.

Foolish mothers are often to blame for these tragedies in the lives of their daughters. They try to protect them from what they are pleased to call menial work.

Don't do it mothers. Teach your daughters to cook and sew and make beds.

You will thereby minimize the danger of your daughter being an unhappy wife or a graduate of the divorce court.

No, the home girl, God bless her, is not being extinct. She has only been temporarily crowded from the front rank by the girls of the period and will come to the front again in due time. The average girl can go down into the kitchen and make the same kind of bread "that mother used to make." She knows that the family cow gives sweetmilk and that buttermilk comes from the churn. It is barely possible that she knows how to set a hen and can drive a nail straight if you give her a good hammer. She can mend a pair hose and sew on a button right where it belongs, and she is the very kind of girl that the sensible youth wants on his day to be the queen of his heart and mistress of his home.

There are some girls who are spoiled by a little education. As soon as they get a little learning in their heads they immediately begin to figure on the emancipation of themselves so far as home is concerned. Mother's hands are already coarse and red, and it is better that she should do the menial work about the premises while the daughter indulges in some of the fads she acquired at college on money that the poor old mother helped to earn through toil and self-denial. It makes no difference to her that the tired old eyes are daily giving more evidence of being weary, and that the calloused spots on the dear old hands are growing larger. It is only mother, and she has had her day. A girl cannot be young, bold, once and mother has been a girl. Thus it continues until the tired and loving old mother is gathered to her reward, and when the girl sees the pallor of death upon the sunken cheeks and realizes that the end of it all has truly come, it is then that her heart is filled with remorse, and she would give the world to call the loved one back that she might demonstrate to her she really did not intend to be unkind. But it is too late now. Mother has become a happy girl again.

The woman who is making a happy home in today is the womanly woman, and the womanly woman is the house-wifely woman. We do not mean by this that a woman should be made a hewer of wood and a drawer of water in any home for she has a nobler mission to perform, but we do mean that it is a great mistake for our daughters to become the heads of happy homes, when they are not qualified for the duties of the position.

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Double your yield of corn by drilling and fertilizing your land. So simple that a boy can operate it.

Give me your order now and have your drill ready to plant your corn crop.

I also have a car load of Homestead Fertilizer, that I am selling at a very reasonable price. The best that is made. Call on

J. D. JARVIS, Jarvis' Store, Ky.

Just Hop over to HOPPER'S

And learn his prices, before buying your GROCERIES. His stock is as good as the best, and his prices are right.

He keeps JUST ANYTHING You Want.

If you don't see what you want, ask for it.

He also carries a full and complete line of Coffins and Caskets, Burial Robes and Undertakers' Supplies.

Call on him when you need anything in his line and you will always receive prompt attention.

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You need a Stove and I have it to sell.

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If you want to buy one you should NOT WAIT until they are all gone.

Cook Stoves from \$5. up. COOK STOVES

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Chairs and Rockers  **In Pro-
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Also Couches, Sideboards, Dressers, Stands, Tables, Wash-Stands, etc.

Carpets, Linoleums, Mattings.

In fact the only place in town to find Strictly up-to-date furniture is at

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Buggies  **Surries**

AND SPRING WAGONS.

He also has a CAR LOAD of

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AND TWO CAR LOADS OF

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No Use to Mention Prices, You All Know Me.

DAN H. WILLIAMS.

BRING YOUR PRINTING TO THE ADVOCATE OFFICE.

OVERFLOW PERSONAL.

Mrs. L. A. Herdon is visiting in Middlesboro.

Rev. Terhune will not be here any more until the 4th Sunday in April.

Among those who attended "Parish" in Louisburg were Misses Cora Sevier and Jessie Decker.

See the ad of Bryan's Lecture in Williamsburg, Ky. Apr. 18 in this issue.

Robert W. Cole, L. H. Jarvis, Judge Flem D. Sampson and D. W. Clark were among those who greeted President Roosevelt in Louisville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Black came up from Williamsburg Saturday afternoon to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Decker.

Thrifty people use Green Seal Liquid Paint. Considering results, it's the cheapest on the market. For sale by F. C. Moore.

Jno. H. Byrley came down from Cincinnati last Saturday spent the earlier part of the week here visiting his mother and other relatives.

Mrs. Ida Beams, of Faulkner's Chapel, was in our town Saturday and Sunday visiting friends and relatives.

Kelsey Cox and Artemus Hemphill are assisting in the work of this office in connection with the regular force.

The thousands of gallons of Green Seal Paint sold every year merely attests its worthiness, as paint for all practical purposes. For sale by F. C. Moore.

Quite a number from this place are engaging seats for the William Jennings Bryan lecture at Williamsburg.

Wm. "Patsy" McDaniel returned Wednesday morning from Albany Ind. where he has been employed by the Assay Oil Co.

Messrs. Sam Davidson and Ed Dishman left on the train this morning for the city, where they will spend the day fishing coming down the river in a boat.

Hanna's Lustro-finish the most beautiful finish for floors and wood-work ever on the market. See the finishing samples at F. C. Moore.

Mr. W. R. Hughes, accompanied by his daughters, Misses Eva and Louis, left this week for Pensacola, Florida. While there they will witness the navy manuevers. Mrs. Hughes will return with them.

Prof. Pope has sold his Electric Light Plant and will move to Ann Arbor, Mich. the latter part of the Summer where he expects to complete his law course.

The Green Seal Paints stand thinning with pure Linseed Oil, and are therefore more economical than other paints. Read directions on every package. For sale by F. C. Moore.

Rev. Abbott filled his engagement at the Christain church here last Sunday and the church has engaged him as the new pastor. Mrs. G. W. Tye united with the church Sunday night and was baptised Wednesday afternoon at the river.

Dr. J. R. Watkins, Field Secretary of the M. E. Conference Schools of Ky., and Dr. Easley the new President elect of the Union College are expected to arrive this evening and remain over Sunday. It is the expectation of the Pastor, Bro. Stratton to have them fill the pulpit for him Sunday morning and evening. The Public is most cordially invited.

LOCALS.

Boom Barbourville.

Subscribe for the ADVOCATE.

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John Wagers, of Paint Leavel, Garrard Co. was a pleasant caller at this office Thursday.

Prof. R. E. Warren will represent Barbourville Institute at the Baptist Educational Conference which meets at Bowling Green April 12-14.

The Green Seal Paint withstands the wear of the elements far better than paint made by the old process of mixing by hand. Pigments and Liquids are thoroughly incorporated, thus assuring a finer and more durable product. For sale by F. C. Moore.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Institute Notes.

J. C. Mays entered school this week.

Rev. A. E. Brown was at chapel Monday morning and gave the students a lecture on the "Mountain of Education". He is the strongest man we have heard this season and is a great friend to the Institute.

He says that he expects to build two dormitories on the campus this season and will add four additional rooms to the main building. We learn that this work is to begin by July of this year.

All off for Williamsburg April 17 to attend the Inter Collegiate Declamatory Contest. J. D. Stanberry and Omar C. Clark will represent the Institute. The Program will be interspersed with excellent music.

On Tuesday evening the 18 of April, The Ball tent of the Institute will play the team of Williamsburg Institute at that place. And on Tuesday night, W. J. Bryan will lecture in Williamsburg, so go to the Contest and you will be repaid.

Clear Peake at Institute Chapel, Friday eve. April 14, on "Take the Funny Side of Life". You will laugh all you desire when you hear his Wit.

Bailey's Switch.

Mrs. Margaret Warrick left Tuesday for Knoxville, Tenn. to have her eyes treated.—Tillman Cole and James McAfee of Tazwell, Tenn. were here last week and while here subscribed for the Mountain Advocate the best paper published in the mountains.—Jno. L. Dozier, of Barbourville was in our midst last Wednesday.—Caleb Burnett has completed a new house here for Mat Frederic, who will soon be one of our neighbors.—Jno. Longworth has exchanged his farm here for one in the bluegrass and will leave for his new home in the fall? We wish him good luck.

Flat Lick.

Hauling staves and lumber is all the go now. We have about fifty teams on the road—prospects for more as soon as the roads get better.—Our town is improving somewhat. D. W. Slusher is having his house painted and H. C. Mills is having his store house extended longer.—H. C. Cole, of Barbourville was in town this week.—Mr. J. G. Rey-

olds is improving, will soon be able to resume his work in the store.—H. P. Cottengim, of Barbourville, was in our town this week.—Wm. Bargo, of this place was in Barbourville Thursday.—Miss Pearl Hester will soon be out again after a severe illness of typhoid fever.—J. R. Collier, of London, Ky. with Brisco & Co., of Knoxville, Tenn. was in town this week.—Mrs. Jeff Hale is improving very slowly.—N. Woodcock, representing the Power Groc. of Paris, Ky. was in our town this week.—E. R. Coon, who has been very sick is improving.—Rev. M. Scott, of this place has been holding a very interesting meeting up on Stinking Creek.—Our town is improving very fast, we have tea stores and trade is better than it was when we had four or five.

Mark.

STATE CENTRAL

Committee Disposed of Some Important Business.

Last Tuesday the State Central Committee met in Louisville, R. W. Cole holding the proxy of Chairman Byrley who was absent.

The contest from Bell County was taken up and disposed of by declaring the seats of the four county members who refused to meet and by so doing broke a quorum in the canvass of the returns of the recent Congressional Primary, and ordered a new election in their precincts to elect their successors.

It was ordered that in all counties where no committee election has been held that an election be called for the purpose and in case the Chairman fail to do so that the State Chairman be authorized to call said meeting.

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